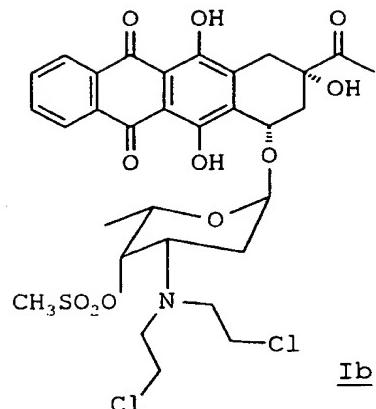
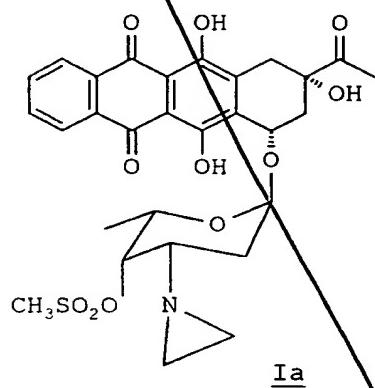


Claims

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1. Products containing an alkylating anthracycline of formula Ia or Ib:



and an antineoplastic topoisomerase II inhibitor as a combined preparation for simultaneous, separate or sequential use in the treatment of tumors.

- 10 2. Products according to claim 1 wherein the alkylating anthracycline is 4-demethoxy-3'-deamino-3'-aziridinyl-4'-methansulfonyl daunorubicin.
- 15 3. Products according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the topoisomerase II inhibitor is etoposide.
- 15 4. Products according to claim 1 or 2 wherein the topoisomerase II inhibitor is doxorubicin.
- 20 5. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient and, as active ingredient, an alkylating anthracycline of formula Ia or Ib as defined in claim 1 and an antineoplastic topoisomerase II inhibitor.
- 25 6. A composition according to claim 5 wherein the topoisomerase II inhibitor is doxorubicin or etoposide.
7. Use of an alkylating anthracycline of formula Ia or Ib as defined in claim 1 and an antineoplastic topoisomerase

~~II inhibitor in the preparation of a medicament for use in the treatment of tumors.~~

- ~~8. Use according to claim 7 wherein the topoisomerase II inhibitor is etoposide or doxorubicin.~~

~~9. Use of an alkylating anthracycline of formula Ia or Ib as defined in claim 1 and an antineoplastic topoisomerase II inhibitor in the preparation of a medicament for use in the prevention or treatment of metastasis or in the treatment of tumors by inhibition of angiogenesis.~~

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